



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Huebner et al.  
Serial No.: 10/005,717  
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For: Sensing Device and Method Using Photo-Induced Charge Movements  
Art Unit: 1743  
Examiner: Snay

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**RESPONSE**

This communication is in response to a first office action, originally mailed July 2, 2003, but not received, in which the Examiner has rejected claims 1 - 3, 7 and 9 under Section 102(b) as anticipated by Clarke et al. '868, and has rejected claims 4 - 6 and 10 - 20 under Section 103(a) as obvious over Clarke et al '868.

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